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**ORDER NO. 1878** 

## UNITED STATES OF AMERICA POSTAL REGULATORY COMMISSION WASHINGTON, DC 20268-0001

Before Commissioners: Ruth Y. Goldway, Chairman;

Robert G. Taub, Vice Chairman;

Mark Acton; and Nanci E. Langley

Competitive Product Prices
Global Reseller Expedited Package Contracts 1
(MC2010-21)
Negotiated Service Agreement

Docket No. CP2011-1

## ORDER APPROVING MODIFICATION TO EXISTING AGREEMENT

(Issued November 15, 2013)

The negotiated service agreement approved in this proceeding (Existing Agreement) is set to expire November 30, 2013. The Postal Service seeks to extend the Existing Agreement pursuant to a modification executed by the Postal Service and the customer, a copy of which is attached to the Motion (Modification).<sup>2</sup>

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Order No. 561, Order Approving an Additional Global Reseller Expedited Package Contract Negotiated Service Agreement, October 15, 2010. *See also* United States Postal Service Response to Order No. 561 Concerning Effective Dates of an Additional Global Reseller Expedited Package Contracts 1 Negotiated Service Agreement, December 2, 2010.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> See Motion of the United States Postal Service for Temporary Relief and Notice of the United States Postal Service of Filing Modification to a Global Reseller Expedited Package Contracts 1 Negotiated Service Agreement, November 13, 2013, at Attachment 1 (Motion).

The Modification provides that the contract will expire either: (1) on the day prior to the date of any change in the published prices that affect the Qualifying Mail<sup>3</sup> in the Existing Agreement that may fall within the month of January 2014, or (2) if such price change does not occur, the agreement shall expire on January 31, 2014. Motion at 2.

The Motion is granted. The Modification is approved, and the Existing Agreement, as modified, is authorized to continue until either the day before published prices that affect Qualifying Mail in the Existing Agreement take effect in January 2014 or until January 31, 2014, if such a price change does not occur. Allowing the Existing Agreement to remain in effect is in the public interest and will not prejudice any person.

## It is ordered:

- The Motion for Temporary Relief, filed November 13, 2013, is granted, and the Modification to the Existing Agreement is approved.
- The Existing Agreement, as modified, is authorized to continue until either the day before published prices that affect Qualifying Mail in the Existing Agreement take effect in January 2014, or until January 31, 2014, if such a price change does not occur.

By the Commission.

Ruth Ann Abrams Acting Secretary

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> Qualifying Mail is defined in Article 3 of the Existing Agreement. See Notice of United States Postal Service of Filing a Functionally Equivalent Global Reseller Expedited Package Negotiated Service Agreement and Application for Non-Public Treatment of Material Filed Under Seal, October 1, 2010, Attachment 1 at 2.